

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
KATSUTOSHI USHIDA)	: Examiner: D. England
Application No.: 09/588,683)	: Group Art Unit: 2143
Filed: June 7, 2000)	
For: COMMUNICATION APPARATUS,)	
COMMUNICATION METHOD)	
COMMUNICATION SYSTEM)	
AND STORAGE MEDIUM)	: August 21, 2006 (Monday)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Sir:

Applicant petitions the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated April 19, 2006 for one month from July 19, 2006 to August 21, 2006 (Monday).

The commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the \$120.00 fee for the extension under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 to Deposit Account No. 50-3939. Any deficiency in or overpayment of this fee should also be charged or credited to Deposit Account 50-3939.

Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our Costa Mesa, California office by telephone at (714) 540-8700. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,

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